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From: Boyd, Kevin [Boyd.Kevin@epa.gov]
Sent: 4/3/2019 8:44:24 PM
To: Meadows, Anthony [Meadows.Anthony@epa.gov]; Wisniewski, Patti-Kay [Wisniewski.Patti-Kay@epa.gov]
CC: Burns, Francis [Burns.Fran@epa.gov]
Subject: Fwd: Paden City PCE

Anthony,

See Fran's response below. Thanks.

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Begin forwarded message:

From: "Burns, Francis" <Burns.Fran@epa.gov>
Date: April 3, 2019 at 4:39:32 PM EDT
To: "Boyd, Kevin" <Boyd.Kevin@epa.gov>
Subject: RE: Paden City PCE

We are waiting for our latest round of samples and the State should also soon have sample results.

From: Boyd, Kevin
Sent: Wednesday, April 3, 2019 3:42 PM
To: Burns, Francis <Burns.Fran@epa.gov>
Subject: FW: Paden City PCE

Fran,

Any updates?

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From: Wisniewski, Patti-Kay
Sent: Wednesday, April 03, 2019 3:38 PM
To: Meadows, Anthony <Meadows.Anthony@epa.gov>; Boyd, Kevin <Boyd.Kevin@epa.gov>
Subject: RE: Paden City PCE

I've heard nothing since my last email.

Patti Kay

From: Meadows, Anthony
Sent: Wednesday, April 03, 2019 3:36 PM
To: Boyd, Kevin <Boyd.Kevin@epa.gov>
Cc: Wisniewski, Patti-Kay <Wisniewski.Patti-Kay@epa.gov>
Subject: FW: Paden City PCE

Hello,

Another inquiry on this PCE contamination was received today. Do either of you know of any specific do not use or do not drink orders by the City of Paden or WV DHHR? Have either of you heard of the status of remediation? Granted, I'm asking about changes over the past months.

Did Paden pull the other two wells with PCE out of service? I know that the initial well with found PCE was removed from service. It is my understanding that some air-stripping already existed at the facility. Do either of you have information related to finished water being sent to the distribution system?

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From: Wisniewski, Patti-Kay
Sent: Wednesday, March 20, 2019 11:26 AM
To: Meadows, Anthony <Meadows.Anthony@epa.gov>; Crumlish, Karen <Crumlish.Karen@epa.gov>; rogers, rick <rogers.rick@epa.gov>
Subject: FW: Paden City PCE

FYI an update below.
Patti Kay

From: Boyd, Kevin
Sent: Wednesday, March 20, 2019 11:24 AM
To: Wisniewski, Patti-Kay <Wisniewski.Patti-Kay@epa.gov>
Subject: FW: Paden City PCE

FYI

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Subject: Paden City PCE

For Your Situational Awareness

Yesterday, a reporter inquired about EPA's activities at the Paden City Site. The reporter asked about EPA's work in Paden City, EPA's future activities, and citizens' health concerns about their drinking water. The local water authority has found low levels of tetrachloroethylene, PCE, in their water samples that were just above the MCL. The water authority has been treating the water with an air stripper and has plans to improve their treatment system.

EPA's OSC Dennis Matlock has been coordinating with the West Virginia DEP for groundwater sampling around a former drycleaning facility, Band Box Cleaners, a possible source of the PCE. The sampling will determine if Band Box is the only source and also identify the extent and direction of the groundwater. Once the source and plume are identified, EPA will coordinate with WVDEP to review options on how to address the PCE. Options could include upgrading water treatment, installing extraction wells, and removing contaminated soil.